Bio for Allyson Neville

Allyson Neville is the Associate Director for International Humanitarian Response Policy and Advocacy at Save the Children based in the United States. Her areas of focus include education in emergencies and the protection of children in conflict as well as the Rohingya response and Afghanistan. For nearly 15 years, Allyson has worked on issues related to mass atrocities and conflict. This has included a variety of specific conflict contexts, including Central African Republic, Myanmar, Libya, Syria, and Sudan.

Prior to joining Save the Children, Allyson spent over four years at the Friends Committee on National Legislation where she coordinated the Prevention and Protection Working Group, and served as a member of the Experts Committee on Preventing Mass Violence that produced the report, <u>A Necessary Good: U.S. Leadership on Preventing Mass Atrocities</u>. She has also worked with Aegis Trust, Fairtrade America, United to End Genocide, and Genocide Intervention Network. She has supported the successful passage of two pieces of legislation introduced in the U.S. Congress – the Sudan Accountability and Divestment Act of 2007 and the Elie Wiesel Genocide and Atrocities Prevention Act of 2018. Allyson went to American University in Washington, D.C. where she earned her BA in Communications, Legal Institutions, Economics and Government, and MA in International Affairs.